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(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Stephen KENT et al.

Application No.: 09/831,307

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Art Unit: 1648

For: VIPOX VECTOR CODING AN HIV ANTIGEN  
AND A CYTOKINE

Examiner: J. Parkin

**STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

MS AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner Interviews conducted on February 21, 2007, and February 28, 2007, applicants submit the following summary of the interviews.

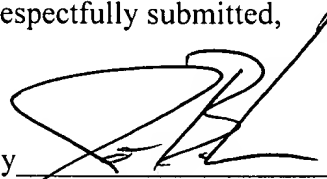
During the telephonic interview of February 21, 2007, it was explained to the Examiner that there seemed to be no motivation to combine Paoletti and Ramshaw as suggested by the Examiner. The Examiner seemed to agree, but stated that he would have to talk to his supervisor and would get back to me within 72 hours.

On February 28, 2007, the Examiner called to report that he had spoken with his supervisor and they both agreed that it would not be obvious to combine the references in view of our discussion during the interview. Accordingly, the Examiner said that he was going to allow the application.

In the event the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determines that an extension and/or other relief is required, applicants petition for any required relief including extensions of time and authorize the Commissioner to charge the cost of such petitions and/or other fees due in connection with the filing of this document to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952** referencing Attorney Docket No. **229752001400**.

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Respectfully submitted,



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